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**Sent:** Wednesday, May 28, 2014 9:15 AM  
**To:** Stump-Web; Pierce-Web; Burns-Web; BitterSmith-Web; RBurns-Web  
**Subject:** EBCOR INCREASE

Dear Commissioners,

I am writing my concern regarding the proposed increase to our wastewater rate in the Bella Vista HOA, Fort Mohave, Arizona.

An increase of nearly 50% bringing the monthly base fee to \$83 for waste water, not drinking water, is outrageous. Our current monthly fee is already the highest in the area. I have yet to hear of any other community with a rate as high as ours is now and to think an additional fifty percent????

Our community is made up of mainly retirees or second homes for people out of the area, not large families. The usage does not come close to offsetting the wastewater cost. I am a 90 year old widow on fixed income living in my dream home. This increase is not within my budget and these ridiculous types of increases are what could possibly force me from my home. What line item within my budget would you suggest I adjust to allow for this increase? There are only so many ways to spread what income there is.

Please intervene and look into this situation with more realistic solutions. Epcor is a huge company and surely our little community is not their main income.

Sincerely,

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